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## TARLOV COMPLETES MISSION TO ISRAEL DETAILS STRONG JWV ACTION PROGRAM

### JWV Warns Keep Hess In Spandau

A warning that former No. 2 Nazi, Rudolf Hess, may be released from Berlin's Spandau War Crimes Prison ahead of the expiration of his sentence was issued by JWV National Commander Malcolm A. Tarlov.

Commander Tarlov said that Hess "was one of the earliest and most sadistic of the strong-arm men who brutally assaulted anti-Nazis on German streets to aid Hitler's rise. He was Der Fuehrer's closest lieutenant. The release of Hess could not come at a worse time. I refer to the recent election victories of the neo-Nazi NDP (National Democratic Party). The release of Hess would send a vicarious thrill through the ranks of the old and new Nazis throughout West Germany."

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Zalman Shazar, distinguished President of Israel, who last year visited the United States as guest of President Johnson, is shown welcoming National Commander Tarlov to Israel.

### Urges Greater U.S.-U.N. Support To Restrain Syria Attacks

A new program of JWV action in support of Israel and the cause of peace has been drafted by National Commander Malcolm A. Tarlov after his recent trip to Israel where he saw the situation on the Israel-Syrian front at first-hand.

Commander Tarlov envisages action to gain greater United States and United Nations understanding of the Israeli defense situation. Following conferences with Israeli Prime Minister Levi Eshkol, President Zalman Shazar, and the Chief of Staff, General Yitzhak Rabin, Tarlov gained a deeper understanding of the security problems confronting Israel. He learned in detail the facts about Arab intransigence and the heavy military build-up of Syria and Egypt with the help of the Soviet Union.

Tarlov was at the side of Gen. Rabin when word was received that the Syrians were evading efforts of the United Nations Mixed Armistice Commission to

pacify the border. He noted that the Syrians appear confident that the U. N. will not act to restrain or punish Syria but apparently will only take action when Israel is forced to employ defensive measures.

At the scene of recent fighting, the town of Almagor on the contested frontier, Tarlov met with communal secretariat and observed the defense problems. Tarlov saw with his own eyes how the Syrians exploit the demilitarized zone by plowing beyond the authorized border while the Israelis conform to the armistice accord.

Tarlov reported that "several meetings with U. S. Ambassador Walworth Barbour confirmed the impact that the JWV has on the American policies and diplomatic considerations." He also observed the extent to which Prime Minister Eshkol, President Shazar, and General Rabin place reliance upon the JWV for support in Washington.

Both Shazar and Eshkol asked that Tarlov "extend to our membership a warm greeting and heartfelt thanks for our continued efforts on behalf of the economic and military security of Israel."

Tarlov returned convinced that U. S. officials must be made aware of the need for the United Nations to take firmer and more objective steps to restrain Syria. He stressed that "if a conflagration is to be averted in the Near East, then Syrian aggression must be challenged by the international community. At present we only

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### Vet Chief Urges Congressmen: Viet Nam Appropriations Vital

Members of the United States Congress who would withhold appropriations required for the successful prosecution of the war in Viet Nam "give aid and comfort to the Viet Cong and prolong the war", JWV National Commander Malcolm A. Tarlov said in an address before a joint session of the Legislature of the State of Georgia.

The JWV Commander lauded Georgians for "your patriotism and sacrifices," noting that Georgia had "suffered a disproportionately large share of casualties because the First Air Cavalry Division, long in action, has its home base here and because so many Georgians have volunteered for duty."

Mr. Tarlov said "I am sure you share my revulsion of the appeasers in Washington who would let the Viet Cong win by default." He noted that "fortunately, the prevailing majority in Congress understand the real issues involved and stand ready to vote the appropriations necessary to support our men in the field and defeat Communist aggression."

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### JWV TRAVEL SPECTACULARS

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A warm greeting to the Jewish veterans of the United States was expressed by Israeli Prime Minister Levi Eshkol, shown above welcoming JWV National Commander Tarlov to Israel and asking the Commander to convey Israel's thanks to the JWV for its actions in Washington.

'72nd ANNUAL JWV CONVENTION—Wash. Hilton Hotel, Aug. 13-20, 1967'